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News

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Dear Wisconsin Children's Safety Advocates:

In January 2012, the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission issued a total of **7 recalls relating to products affecting children**. Attached is a summary of the releases identifying the product, problem and what should be done with the recalled product.

We have found that not all of the recalls are picked up by the news media as they occur. This monthly summary will give you the opportunity to review all of the children's product safety recalls for the past month. If you are interested in a complete text of the recall, double click on the hyperlink at the end of the recall description. This will take you to the CPSC website and the actual recall notice.

If you have other product safety questions you may call our toll free number at **(800) 422-7128**. Following is a listing of the 7 "KIDS" recalls by title and identification number (when available):

- **IKEA recalls to repair High Chairs due to fall hazard. (#12-079)**
- **Elegant Gifts Mart recall Children's Chairs due to violation of lead paint standard. (#12-081)**
- **Triple Eight Distribution recalls Bicycle Helmets due to risk of head injury. (#12-082)**
- **The Land of Nod recalls Bed Frames due to entrapment hazard. (#12-711)**
- **Chariot Carriers recalls Child Bicycle Trailers and Conversion Kits due to injury hazard. (#12-085)**
- **Lee Carter Co is recalling Mexican Wrestling Figures due to lead paint standard. (#12-092)**
- **Lee Carter Co recalls Infant Rattles due to choking hazard. (#12-093)**

KEEP YOUR KIDS SAFE

Release Number: (#12-049) IKEA North America Services LLC, of Conshohocken, Pennsylvania is voluntarily recalling about 169,000(133,000 in the U.S. and 36,000 in Canada) ANTILOP High Chairs. This recall involves ANTILOP high chairs sold in red, blue or white. The plastic high chair has detachable silver-colored metal legs. The High chairs included in the recall have a manufacture date between 0607 and 0911 (YYMM format) from supplier number 17389. The production date and supplier number are molded into the underside of the seat. "ANTILOP," "IKEA" and the model number are printed on a label affixed to the underside of the seat. Model numbers included in the recall are:

ANTILOP high chair blue	Model # 701.467.92
ANTILOP high chair red	Model # 501.467.93
ANTILOP high chair white	Model # 300.697.24

This high chair is sold exclusively at IKEA stores nationwide from August 2006 through January 2010 for about \$20 and manufactured in China.

Problem: The high chair's restraint buckle can open unexpectedly, posing a fall hazard to the child.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the high chairs and contact IKEA to obtain a free replacement seat restraint. For additional information, contact IKEA toll-free at (866) 966-4532 anytime, or visit the firm's website at www.ikea-usa.com.



<http://www.cpsc.gov/cpscpub/prerel/prhtml12/12079.html>

Release Number: (#12-081) Elegant Gifts Mart Inc of Los Angeles, California is voluntarily recalling about 1,600 chairs and 1,300 stools. The children's folding chairs and the stools have yellow metal tube frames. The plastic seat, seat backs and stool have a cartoon-like scene with monkeys, teddy bears, mushrooms and heart-shaped balloons. "PENGKO" is printed on the

chair's heart-shaped seatback. Item number "JCA8036" is printed on a white sticker underneath the chair's seat. Item number "JCA8037" is printed on a white sticker underneath the stool. The chairs and stools were sold exclusively at 1 to Seven stores in Puerto Rico from September 2010 through June 2011 for between \$5 and \$6 and manufactured in China.

Problem: The yellow surface paint on the metal frame of the children's chairs and stools contains excessive levels of lead which is prohibited under federal law.

What to do: Consumers should immediately take the recalled tables and folding chairs away from children and return them to any 1 to Seven store in Puerto Rico or contact Elegant Gifts Mart for a full refund. For additional information, in Puerto Rico call 1 to Seven at (787) 290-5625 between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. ET, or call Elegant Gifts Mart collect at (323) 698-6805 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. PT Monday through Friday.



<http://www.cpsc.gov/cpscpub/prerel/prhtml12/12081.html>

Release Number: (#12-082) Triple Eight Distribution, Inc., of Port Washington, New York is voluntarily recalling about 30,400 Bicycle helmets for children and youth. The recalled items are multi-purpose helmets also sold for use as bicycle helmets. Little Tricky helmets are marketed for children and youth, and feature a large Little Tricky logo on both sides of the helmet. They come in one size and in black, white, pink and green. Triple Eight S/M EPS Liner helmets feature a hard black inner EPS foam liner and come in black, white, bone, blue and army green. Sector 9 S/M EPS Liner helmets feature the same EPS liner and come in gray, white, black, blue and green. Both the Triple Eight and Sector 9 helmets have an interior label indicating the size "S/M" for small/medium and a manufacture date indicated

as month/year (ex. APR/2011). Only Triple Eight and Sector 9 size "S/M" EPS Liner helmets are affected. The helmets were sold at Bicycle and sports stores and other retailers nationwide and online from August 2006 through November 2011 for about \$40 and manufactured in China.

Problem: Product testing demonstrated that these helmets do not comply with CPSC safety standards for impact resistance. Consumers could suffer impact head injuries in a fall.

What to do: Consumers should stop using the product immediately and contact Triple Eight for a full refund. For additional information, contact Triple Eight toll free at (888) 548-8518 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday or visit the firm's website at www.triple8.com.



<http://www.cpsc.gov/cpscpub/prerel/prhtml12/12082.html>

Release Number: (#12-711) The Land of Nod, of Morton Grove, Illinois is voluntarily recalling about 1,600 Blake Bed Frames. This recall involves Blake model bed frames. The frames were sold in full and twin sizes, in either a blonde stain or painted white. "The Land of Nod" and "Blake" are printed on a barcode sticker affixed to the headboard. The bed frames were sold exclusively at The Land of Nod stores in Illinois and Washington, The Land of Nod catalog and website from September 2009 through October 2011 for about \$600 for the twin size and \$700 for full size and manufactured in Vietnam.

Problem: A child's torso can become lodged in the gap between the footboard's top rail and the mattress, posing an entrapment hazard to the child.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled footboard and contact The Land of Nod for a replacement footboard with a closed-gap design. For more information, contact The Land of Nod at (800) 933-9904 between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. CT Monday

through Friday, visit the firm's website at www.landofnod.com or email the firm at recall@landofnod.com.



<http://www.cpsc.gov/cpscpub/prerel/prhtml12/12711.html>

Release Number: (#12-085) Thule Child Transport Systems Ltd., d/b/a Chariot Carriers, of Calgary, Canada is voluntarily recalling about 44,000 bicycle trailers and 70,000 bicycle trailer conversion kits. Chariot Carriers convert to strollers, jogging strollers and bike, hike or ski trailers. This recall involves Chariot bicycle trailers and bicycle trailer conversion kits. Recalled trailers have serial numbers from 1205-xxxx to 0710-xxxx (representing manufacture dates December 2005 through July 2010) located on the left side on the frame. Recalled conversion kits have hitch arms that attach the carrier to the bicycle with model number "20100503" printed on a label attached to the aluminum tube next to the warning label. Older conversion kits without a label, but with a release push button located where the hitch arm inserts into the carrier, are also being recalled. The trailers and trailer conversion kits were sold at specialty bicycle stores nationwide and on various websites from December 2005 through August 2010 for between \$400 and \$925 for Chariot bicycle trailers and from October 2002 through August 2011 for between \$40 and \$70 for bicycle trailer conversion kits and manufactured in Canada.

Problem: The bicycle trailer's hitch mechanisms can crack and break, causing the trailer to detach from the bicycle. This poses an injury hazard to children in the bicycle trailer.

What to do: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled bicycle trailers and bicycle trailer conversion kits and contact Chariot Carriers for a free repair kit which the consumer can install. For more information, contact Chariot Carriers at (800) 262-8651 between 10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. ET Monday

through Friday, or visit the firm's website at www.chariotcarriers.com.

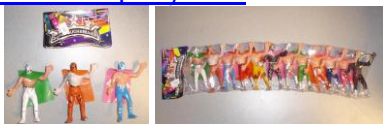


<http://www.cpsc.gov/cpscpub/prerel/prhtml12/12085.html>

Release Number: (#12-093) Lee Carter Co., of San Francisco, California is voluntarily recalling about 7,000 packs of Duper Luchamania Action Figures. The recalled Mexican wrestling Super Luchamania action figures were sold in packs of 12. The multi-colored action figures are plastic, have plastic capes and measure about four inches tall. "Super Luchamania" is printed on the action figures' packaging. The figures were sold at various Mexican specialty craft stores nationwide from June 2000 through October 2011 for between \$12 and \$14 per pack and manufactured in Mexico.

Problem: The surface paints on the action figures contain excessive levels of lead which is prohibited under federal law.

What to do: Consumers should immediately take the recalled action figures away from children and return them to Lee Carter Co. for a full refund or credit towards a replacement product. For additional information, consumers should call Lee Carter Co. collect at (415) 824-2004 anytime, or visit the firm's website at www.leecartercompany.com.



<http://www.cpsc.gov/cpscpub/prerel/prhtml12/12092.html>

Release Number: (#12-093) Lee Carter Co., of San Francisco, California is voluntarily recalling about 25,000 Infant Rattles. The recalled rattles are made out of multi-colored, woven plastic and have a bell inside. They measure about 4 1/2 inches long. "Made in Mexico" and "Lee Carter Company" are printed on a tag on a purple plastic loop at the end of the rattle's handle.

The rattle was sold at various Mexican specialty craft stores nationwide from February 2001 through October 2011 for about \$4 and manufactured in Mexico.

Problem: The rattle's handle is small enough to fit into a child's throat, posing a choking hazard and violating federal rattle standards.

What to do: Consumers should immediately take the recalled rattles away from infants and return them to Lee Carter Co. for a full refund or credit towards a replacement product. For additional information, consumers should call Lee Carter Co. collect at (415) 824-2004 anytime, or visit the firm's website at www.leecartercompany.com.



<http://www.cpsc.gov/cpscpub/prerel/prhtml12/12093.html>.

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(800) 422-7128 (toll free in Wisconsin)